

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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June 12, 2000

Skamania County Attn RA (Tony) Estey PO Box 790 Stevenson WA 98648

Re: Water Right Application for No. G2-29915

This letter is to acknowledge that the Washington State Department of Ecology received your water right application. We have assigned your application the number indicated above. Please include this number in future correspondence regarding your application with the Department of Ecology.

When we begin actively evaluating applications in your area, we will prepare a public notice and send it to you with publication instructions. It will be sometime before we are able to begin working in your area. In the meantime, please notify Ecology of changes such as address, property ownership, or variations in your proposed water use plans.

The availability of water in Washington state is a serious problem. Much of the water in our state has already been appropriated. The competition for water has escalated with our state's increasing population, conflicting water policy issues, and grave declines in salmon and other fish populations. A new watershed management law brings us a step closer to addressing some of these issues. It sets into motion a locally based process to address water quantity, quality, and habitat issues. Watershed management will help meet challenges for getting water to people, industries, farms, and fish.

In some areas of the state, we are continuing to evaluate applications within watersheds where we have previously gathered information and completed watershed assessments. We are also continuing to process water right permit or change applications that are intended to address public health and safety emergencies, the natural environment, or are for nonconsumptive withdrawals. All other applications are grouped by watershed and processed according to the date of submittal, and when we have enough information and staff resources to make decisions.

If you would like further information on your application, please contact the Southwest Regional Office at (360) 407-0240.

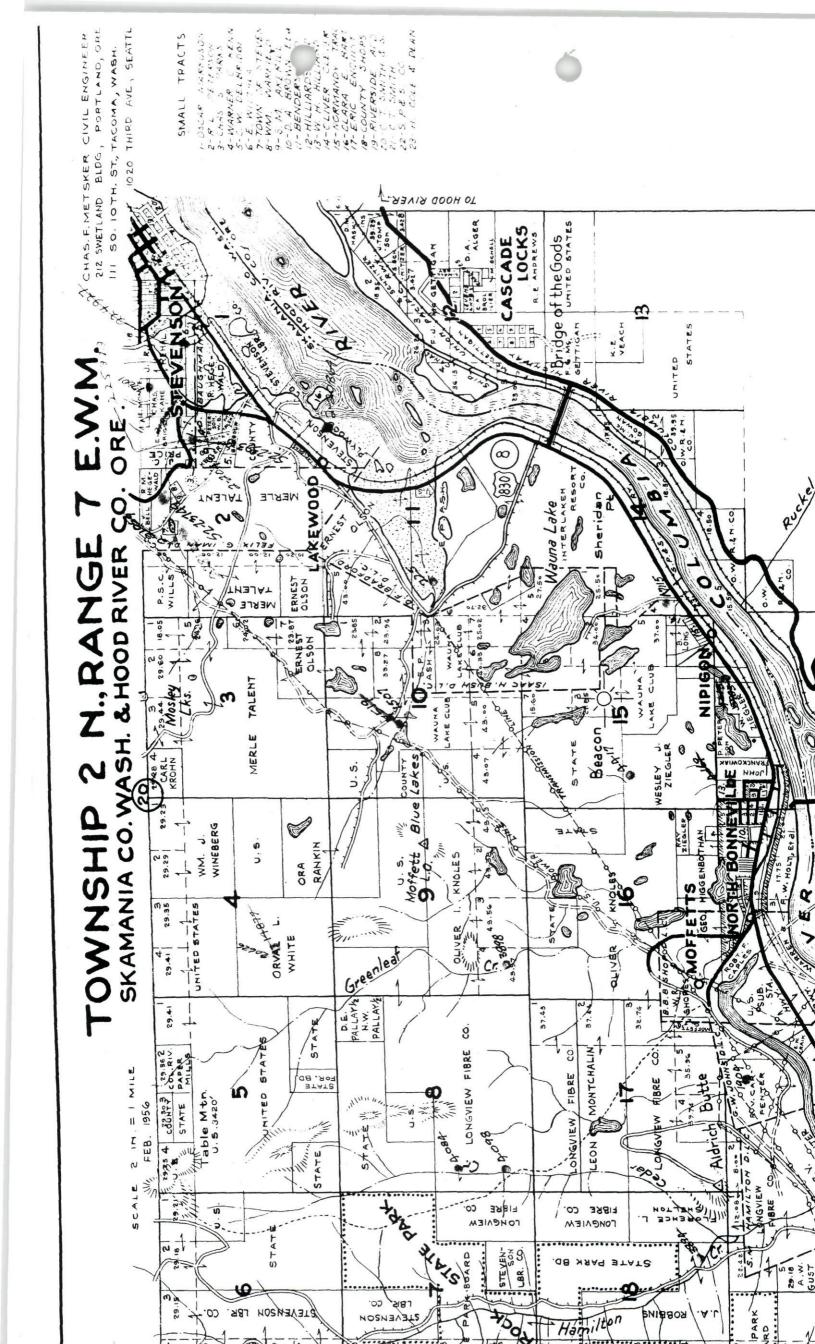
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Sincerely,

J. Mike Harris

J. Mike Harris Water Resources Supervisor Southwest Regional Office

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ATTACHMENT TO SUTION 2 LEGAL DESCRIPTION

OFFICIAL RECORD OF DESCRIPTIONS OF REAL PROPERTIES

Office of County Assessor, Skamania County, Washington

ACCOUNT NUMBER						CODE NO.	LOT	BLOCK
MAP NUMBER				TAX LOT NO.		1		
TWP.	RNG.	SEC.	1/4	1/16			Addition	City
2	7	1			1200	1		

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

indent Each New Course to This Point

PARCEL NO. 1: A tract of land in sec 1 described as follows: all land above the mean high water li within the following described parcel of land: bg at a pt on the S li of gov lot 8, a distance of 300 ft W of the SE cor of sd gov lot 8 in sec 1.

th W along the S li of sd gov lct 8, 815 ft.m/1 to the Ely right of way li of the count known as Old State Rd. No. 8

th NEly along r/w li to a pt due N and 747.8 ft from the pt of bg.

th due S a distance of 747.8 ft to the pt of bg RESERVING unto grantor an easement of 40 ft in width along Wly portion of the above described tract and generally following the existing co rd r/w for the purposes of ingress and egress to Rock Creek.

EXCEPTING, however a tract of land conveyed to G. E. Laraon and Ada Laxson, husband & wife deed 28-325 approximately 1.69 ac. m/l of dry land PARCEL NO. 2 bg at a pt 300 ft W of the SE cor of Gov lot 8 of the sd sec 1

th N to a pt 560 ft Sly, when measured at a right angle, of the cen liof that certian co rd formerly

designated as State Highway No. 8 th N 63° 24' E parallel to and 560 ft distance from, when measured at a right angle, the cen li of the sd rd to intersec with the cen of Rock Creek

th Sly along the cen of Rock Creek to its intersec with the & sec li running N and S through the cen of the sd sec 1.

th S along sd $\frac{1}{2}$ sec to its intersection with the S

li of gov lot 7 and gov lot 8 of sec 1 th Wly along S li of gov lot 7 and gov lot 8 of sec 1 to the pt of bg

SUBJECT to a flowage easement granted to the USA Approximately (16) acres)

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Baap 300 ft W of the SE cor of Lot 8 Sec 1

th N to a pt 560 ft Sly when measured at right angles of center li of Co Rd formerly State Rd No $8\,$

th N 63°24' E pll to an 560 ft from center li of sd rd to the center li of Rock Creek

th $\ensuremath{\mathbb{N}}$ on the center li of Rock Creek to the center li of sd $\ensuremath{\text{Rd}}$

th Wly along center li of Co ${\tt Rd}$ to a pt ${\tt N}$ of the ${\tt POB}$

th S to the POB

EXC A tract of land in the ME-NW Gov Lot 7

Bg at a steel bar which is S 545.40 ft and W 827.4 ft from th N\(^1\) cor of sd sec and which is also S 36 45' E 30 ft from the center li of Old State Hy No 8

th S $36^{\circ}45'$ E 20 ft to the true pt of bg which is on the SEly R/W li of sd hy

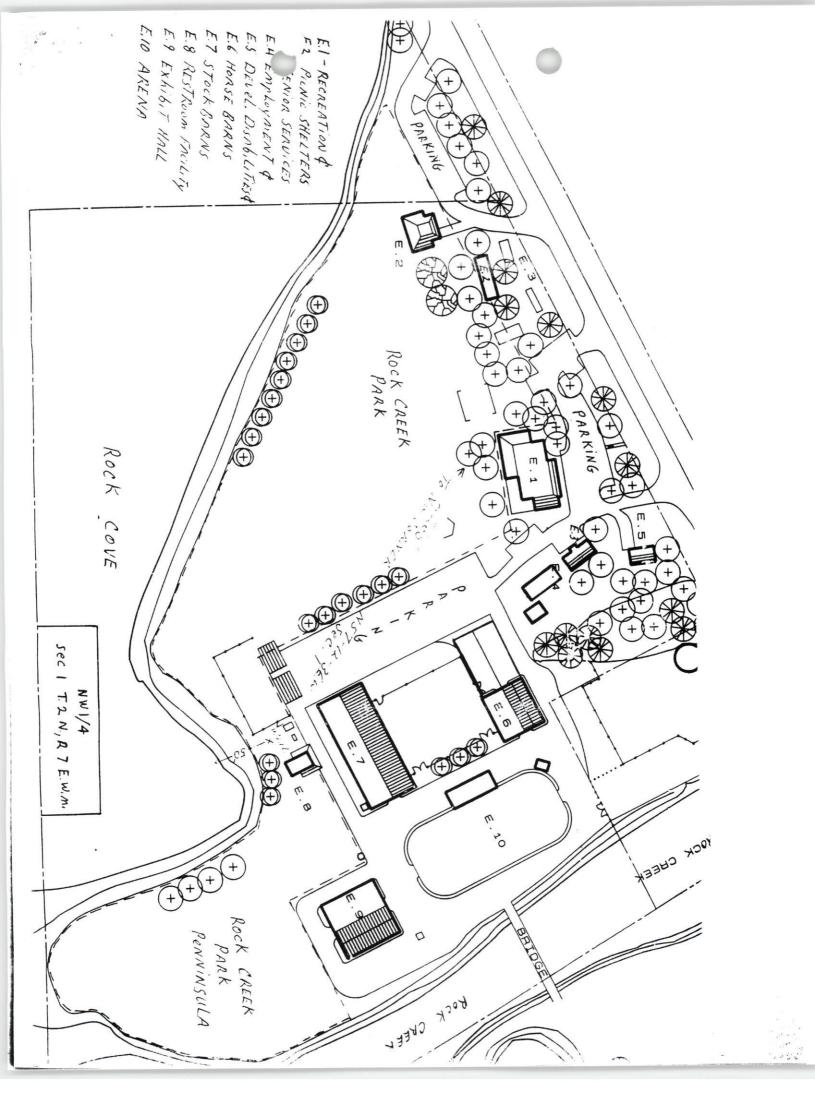
th S 53°15' W 50 ft along sd R/W li

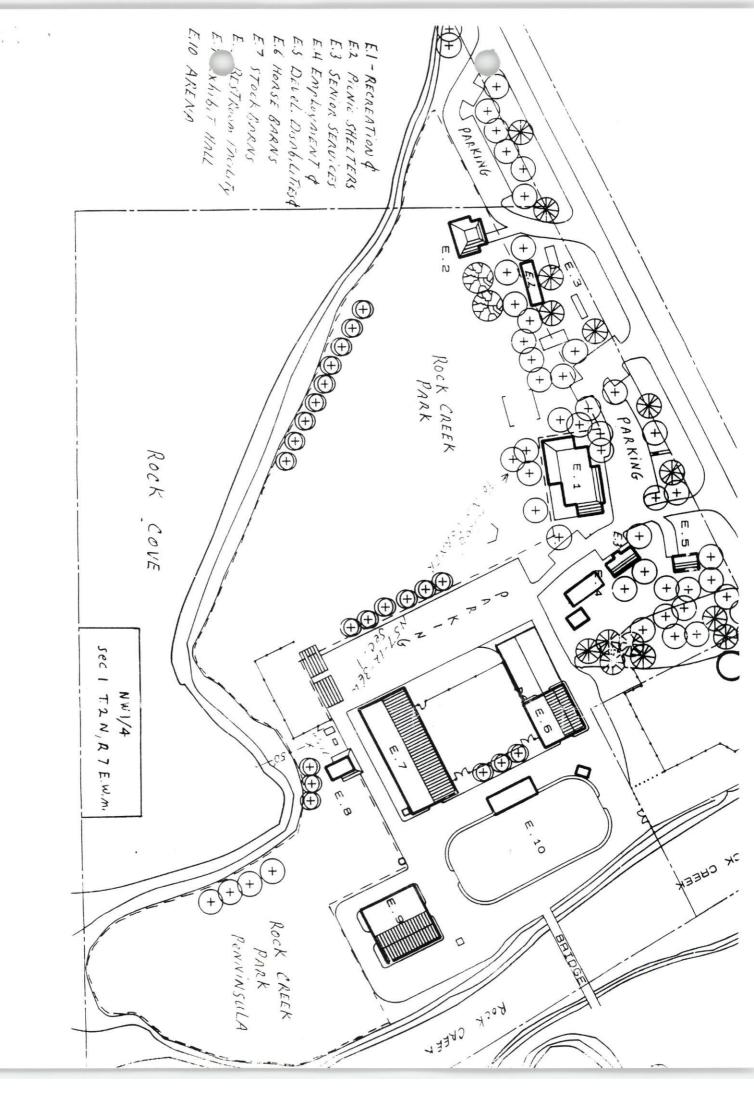
th S 36°45' E 300 ft

th pll with sd rd N $53^{\circ}15'$ E 376.4 ft M/L to the center li of Rock Creek

th along sd center li N $30^{\circ}33$ ' W 301.9 ft M/L to the SEly R/W li of sd hy

th along sd R/W li S 53°15' W 359.9 ft M/L to the true POB





PO Box 5128 Department of Ecology

Remitter Name Current Document Number 461E1224CJ

SKAMANIA COUNTY

Date 05/02/2000

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Lacey, WA 98509-5128

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